

Helicopters on the tarmac at the Gasquet Airport, Del Norte County

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### **SOC Activation for California Wildfires**

- The State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 1.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 1.

### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

• SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

### **Weather of Concern**

• There are no significant Watches or Warnings in effect at this time

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** 

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\_bc\_cal.php

### Outbreak of Legionnaires Disease at San Quentin: San Rafael, Marin County

On 08/27/15 at 1748 hours, San Quentin's Senior Emergency Management Coordinator (Sr. EMC) notified the Warning Center that an emergency procurement of drinking water will be required due to one confirmed case of Legionnaires and other inmates showing signs of possible infection.

- Marin County's Public Health Officer met with the San Quentin officials and a "do not drink or bathe" order was enforced at the facility; however, alternate water sources were procured, i.e. bottled water.
- The Cal OES Coastal Region Duty Officer (CDO) furnished the current bulk water hauler list to San Quentin's Sr. EMC.
- At 1500 on 08/28/15, the Coastal Region had a conference call with CDCR, San Quentin, Cal OES Coastal and Logistics staff, Region II RDMHC, and DGS. The LDO and Marin County EM were briefed after the call.
- San Quentin had one prisoner test positive for Legionnaire's disease, with 25 more showing similar flu/pneumonia-like systems.
- San Quentin is currently investigating the possible source of the contamination.
- Water is shut off to the prison and a do not drink/bathe order, has been issued.
- · Bottled water and sack meals will be provided.
- At this time the major issues are:
  - Shower units DGS will be working with the prison to support this.
  - Non-alcoholic hand sanitizer for use in cells DGS will work through their contractors.
  - Low temp freezer/cold storage units there was a concern that the food packaging would be contaminated with water particles, but San Quentin reassured all on the call that this was not the case. DGS will be working on this issue.
- At this time, the prison is planning on needing assistance for about 2 weeks, and there are no plans to evacuate prisoners or use laundry trailers.

Update: Per CDO as of 1351 hours on 08/29/15, CDCR issued an updated Press Release. Per the Press Release:

- There are three other inmates who have been hospitalized after displaying pneumonia-like symptoms but have not been diagnosed with Legionnaires' disease.
- In addition, approximately 45 inmates are under observation for respiratory illness but have not been diagnosed with Legionnaires' disease. All unconfirmed cases are being treated at San Quentin's on-site medical unit.
- The prison resumed the use of plumbed toilets inside the facility's housing units, and monitored use of water for cooking as of Friday afternoon. Secondary water sources such as bottled water and water tanks will continue to be used for consumption until it is deemed safe to resume normal water use.
- Portable shower units arrived at the prison today for inmate use.
- San Quentin is a reception center for new inmates to the California prison system. Intake has been temporarily halted as the investigation continues. This weekend's inmate visiting has also been halted as the investigation is ongoing.



# **WEATHER**

### **WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:**

#### NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

#### **Eureka Weather:**

Light showers will persist in northern Humboldt and Del Norte Counties through this morning. Temperatures will remain generally below normal for the next several days as a trough sits over the west coast. This trough will also allow shortwaves to swing around the trough possibly bringing brief shots of shower activity to the region mid week. Most areas have been kept dry in the forecast after Sunday except for a slight chance of showers in northern Del Norte County Wednesday. A warming trend may begin late in the week into next weekend as the trough begins to shift east.

#### **Medford Weather:**

A long wave trough is now moving onshore, with most of the energy directed to the north of the forecast area. Still, the Medford region will catch the southern end of this system. The coast and coast range will get the bulk of the precipitation, a quarter to a half an inch, through this afternoon, and the upper Umpqua and Cascades will pick up some lighter rain this afternoon. There will be light showers this afternoon and evening over most of the rest of the west side, but coverage will be spotty with light amounts, generally less than a tenth of an inch. That trough will kick inland to the east of the area early Sunday afternoon, and it will take any straggling precipitation with it. Sunday will be cool with inland highs around 10 degrees below normal

#### **Reno Weather:**

High pressure builds in through mid week as dry weather prevails through the end of the week. Typical late day breezes with slightly below normal temperatures are expected Sunday and Monday. Another low pressure may bring increased winds and further cooling by Thursday with conditions remaining dry.

#### San Francisco Weather:

A dry upper trough will remain anchored near the west coast through most of the week. Temperatures near the coast will be near seasonal norms, while inland areas will generally be cooler than normal over the next seven days. No rain is expected.

# **WEATHER**

#### **WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:**

#### CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

#### Sacramento Weather:

A broad upper trough remains over northern California. Drier air has settled across the region, with clear skies now prevailing over the interior. A modest onshore breeze continues to blow through the Delta. Temperatures across the forecast area are running 5 to 10 degrees cooler than yesterday morning. A shortwave is approaching the NW California coast, though it's quite a bit weaker than yesterday's frontal system. Precipitation is expected to remain outside of our forecast area. Temperatures this afternoon are expected to reach the mid to upper 80s across the valley today, with 60s to lower 80s over the mountains. These forecast highs are a few degrees cooler than normal.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

Dry weather can be expected over interior central California for the next several days. Locally breezy conditions are expected this weekend as a low pressure system impacts the region. By Sunday temperatures will cool to slightly below average. Temperatures are expected to remain near average during next week as onshore flow continues.

#### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A couple of upper level troughs moving into the west coast will bring a cooling trend through Tuesday, along with an increase in night through morning low clouds and fog west of the mountains. An upper trough will linger across the west coast Wednesday through Saturday, keeping temperatures below normal in most areas.

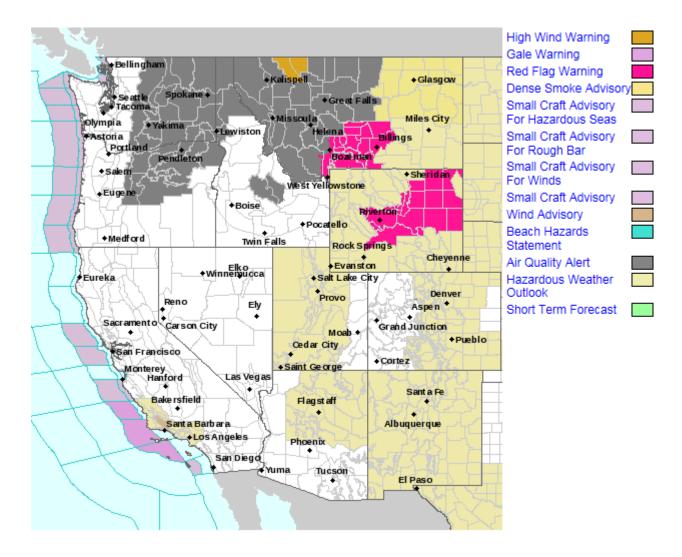
### Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

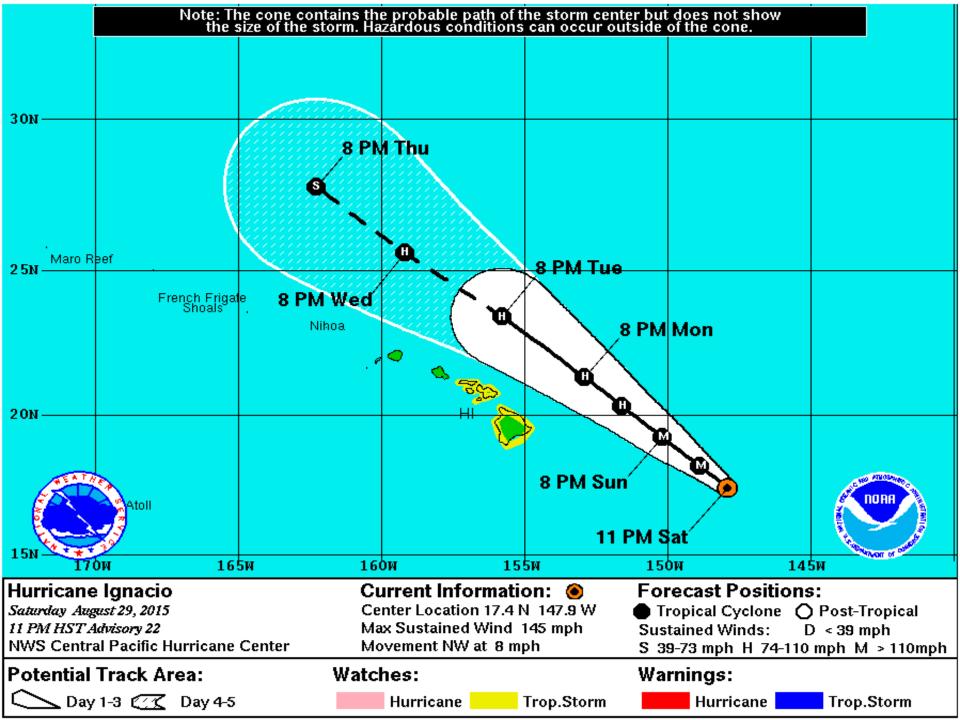
A trough of low pressure will develop near the west coast bringing cooling to a little below average for the middle to latter part of the week followed by slow warming next weekend. The marine layer will deepen with night and morning low clouds and patchy fog extending into the far inland valleys for the middle to latter part of the week. Stronger onshore will bring gusty west winds to the mountains and deserts each late afternoon through late evening.

### **Southeast California Weather:**

A broad low pressure trough moving into the Great Basin and Mojave Desert region will bring dry southwest flow with cooler and breezy conditions through the coming week and into the Labor Day weekend. Slight chances for thunderstorms will remain in eastern Arizona with activity decreasing through Tuesday.

### STATE WEATHER MAP





### **Hurricane Ignacio Twelve - E**

Location: About 470 mi east southeast of Hilo, Hawaii; About 680 mi east southeast of Honolulu, Hawaii

Maximum Sustained Winds: 140 mph

Movement: Northwest at 8 mph

Discussion: IGNACIO continues to track toward the northwest at 8 mph. This direction of motion is expected to for the next couple of days. On the forecast track, the center of Ignacio is expected to pass to the northeast of the Big Island on Monday, then northeast of the smaller islands Tuesday. Ignacio is a Category Four hurricane on the Saffir-Simpson hurricane wind scale. Ignacio will weaken through Tuesday. Hurricane force winds extend outward up to 30 miles from the center and tropical storm force winds extend outward up to 140 miles.

- Watches/Warnings: A Tropical Storm Watch has been issued for Hawaii County and Maui County, including the islands of Maui, Molokai, Lanai, and Kahoolawe.
- Federal Response: The FEMA Region IX Regional Watch Center is activated to Enhanced Watch (24/7). The Regional Response
  Coordination Center will activate to Level II with select Emergency Support Functions, DoD and USCG on 8/31/15. Incident
  Management Assistance Team 3 will deploy to Honolulu, HI on 8/31/15. The Hawaii Emergency Operations Center is at Watch/Steady
  State. No unmet needs identified; no requests for FEMA assistance.

### FIRES, WASHINGTON STATE MUTUAL AID

### Okanogan Complex WA-NES-001203 (Okanogan County)

Location: In and around the town of Omak just west of Twisp

Jurisdiction: SRA

Per the Cal OES FDO as of 08/29/15 at 0657 hours:

- 302,225 Acres, 23% Contained, Expected Containment 09/15/2015
- Type-1 IMT
- Large area of threats to structures and infrastructure
- Protection of structures, line construction, and direct fire attack strategies on going
- Structures Threatened: 5,140 residential structures
- Structures Destroyed: 123 residential, 72 minor structures
- OES Resources: 10 CA OES engines assigned, 1 OES AC (5213) assigned

#### FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Mad River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Mad River Ranger District, Six Rivers National Forest

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/30/15 at 2000 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0554 hours:

37,278 Acres, 90% Contained

 EOC Activations: Trinity County EOC is activated at Level 2 from the Mobile EOC Command Vehicle in Hayfork, First shift 0900– 2100, Second shift 1500-0300

· Evacuations:

• Mandatory Evacuation Areas: Residents along Forest Road 1S14 which is west of the Van Duzen Road off Forest Road 4N18.

- · Shelters:
  - A Large Animal Shelter is open at the Trinity County Fair Grounds supported by the Trinity County Ag Department. Residences can call Trinity County SO dispatch if they need assistance evacuating their large animals. Trinity County Fair Grounds: 6641 CA-3, Hayfork, CA 96041.
  - Trinity Animal Control is being used as a small animal shelter and remains open during normal operating hours, located at 503
    Mtn. View Road. Weaverville.
- Missions:
  - 2015-SOC-15174 Four air monitors to Trinity OA
  - 2015-SOC-15003 Two air monitors to Siskiyou OA
  - 2015-LAW-14555 Trinity County Sheriff's Department requested Law Enforcement Mutual Aid. The mission is to accompany Trinity County sworn personnel and assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed areas, enforcing road blocks.

#### FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Near the communities of Dailey Ranch, Hoboken, and Denny

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 2200 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0601 hours:

68,846 Acres, 38% Contained

 EOC Activations: Trinity County EOC is activated at Level 2 from the Mobile EOC Command Vehicle in Hayfork, First shift 0900– 2100, Second shift 1500-0300

- Evacuations:
  - Mandatory Evacuation Areas: Denny Area, Huddleston Ranch
  - Voluntary Evacuation Areas: Prairie Creek Road (5N32), French Creek Road (5N13), and Big Mountain Road (5N04)
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### FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### South Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Hyampom, south of Highway 299

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 08/01/15 at 1607 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0549 hours:

29,275 Acres, 65% Contained

 EOC Activations: Trinity County EOC is activated at Level 2 from the Mobile EOC Command Vehicle in Hayfork, First shift 0900– 2100, Second shift 1500-0300

Evacuations:

Voluntary Evacuations: Wintoon Flat, Waldorf Flat, Grel Ranch and Oak Flat, Manzanita Ranch Area, Friedrich Road/Mill Creek
 Road - Residences in the Friedrich Road/Mill Creek Road Area

Shelters:

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### FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### **Gasquet Complex, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County**

Location: Gasquet, 19 miles northeast of Crescent City

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 8/03/15 at 1800 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0553 hours:

26,975 Acres, 35% Contained

• EOC Activations: Del Norte County EOC is activated at Level 2 during the day and Level 1 at night.

Missions:

2015-SOC-15400 One air monitor for Yurok Tribe

• 2015-SOC-15542 One air monitor for Yurok tribe

• 2015-CREOC-14948 One air monitor to Del Norte OA

 Major Impacts: Rock Creek and Paradise Flats. The Rock Creek Community is currently without water due to a burned plastic water pipe leading to water tank; however, drinking water has been provided to residents. County OES is working with the community to determine the extent of the damage and assessing how long it will take to bring the system back in place. Estimated time for repairs is unknown. No State resources are requested at this time.

### Nickowitz, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County

Location: Nickowitz Peak

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 08/01/15 at 1123 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0523 hours:

6,881 Acres, 55% Contained

Hold lines and initiate mop up – continue burn out

• EOC Activations: Del Norte County EOC is activated at Level 2 during the day and Level 1 at night.

### **FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### Kramer, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County

Location: Kramer Ranch, Kramer Rd x Four Corners Rd Bieber

Jurisdiction: State/Local DPA, SRA/LRA

Start Time: 08/29/15 at 1606 hours

Per CAL FIRE as of 08/29/15 at 1817 hours:

30 acres, 70% contained

· 1 abandoned structure destroyed



### FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County

Location: 5 miles north of Hume Lake and 2.5 miles southwest of Spanish Mountain

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 1933 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 08/30/15 at 0544 hours:

66,542 Acres, 25% Contained

**Evacuations: Mandatory Evacuation Areas:** 

- The Hume Lake Christian Conference was evacuated 08/18/15. Per the Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) evacuation was accomplished in less than 2 ½ hours due in significant part to prior planning between Fresno Sheriff and the Camp Staff. The group of 750 to 1000 people were evacuated to a sister Church in Fresno for sheltering.
- There are 250 mandatory evacuations in the National Park Campgrounds in the immediate area of Hume Lake Christian Camp.
- There has been an evacuation of 32 private residences, believed to be all vacation homes in the Big Meadow and Heart Meadow Neighborhood.
- Approximately 1,500 campers in several Kings Canyon National Park Campgrounds located along 10 Mile Rd have been placed under mandatory evacuation. As of 8/24 the Grant Grove and Wilsonia area was opened to residents and visitors
- EOC Activations: Fresno County EOC is activated at Level 1 through the weekend to monitor for any unexpected fire growth or emergency management impacts.
- The California Highway Patrol has also moved the road closure, which had been located at the intersection of Highway 180 and Hume Lake Road. The new road closure now sits further south on Highway 180 at Grant Grove Tree (approximately 2 miles north of the Hwy. 180 and Hwy. 198 interchange). The roadway will remain closed until authorities determine it is safe to reopen. The Sheriff's Office wants to make the public aware that no one will be allowed to enter the Hume Lake area; people will only be allowed to exit.
- Per CUEA, PG&E critical facilities and distribution assets are no longer in a high risk category for threats to power serving Central
  California. CAISO has reviewed PG&E facility locations that may be impacted by the fire and none of the locations would compromise
  the grid in any capacity. There would be no brownouts if these sites were impacted.
- Missions:
  - 2015-IREOC-15460 Two air monitors to Mariposa OA
  - 2015-IREOC-15468 One air monitor to Madera OA



#### **CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES**

# CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES COMMITTED: NGACC

- 1x HH-60 (Redding Airport) MEDIVAC
- 2x J3 LNO Personnel

#### **OES SOC**

2x J3 LNO Personnel

#### TF 578th Hand Crews (324 Personnel)

- TF A Hand Crew (MTC-Camp Roberts to De-mobilize)
- TF B Hand Crew (MTC-Camp Roberts to De-mobilize)
- TF C Hand Crew (MTC-Camp Roberts to De-mobilize)

### TF 143th Hand Crews (329 Personnel)

- TF D Hand Crew (CSLO, standby for assignment) be prepared to move on order
- TF F Hand Crew (Redway Base Camp, standby for assignment)
- TF 143 C2 (Mad River Complex, Trinity, CA)
- 1x IC4U (Mad River Complex, Trinity, CA)
- California National Guard Support Personnel

ADOS: 1 / AGR: 7 / ESAD: 675 / SAD: 8 / TECH: 50 / M-Day: 0 Total: 741

### AFRCC Mission 15M0511A (Wishon Reservoir, Fresno, CA)

- 1x CH-47D
- OUT OF STATE RESOURCES REQUESTED/COMMITTED:

### Colorado / Wyoming / North Carolina

MAFFS /1/2/5/9 2x 302nd AW MAFFS 1x 153rd AW MAFFS 1x 145th AW MAFFS

#### **CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES AVAILIBLE:**

#### **Aviation**

- 3x CH-47 (Stockton AAFS)
- 2x HH-60 (Mather AAFS)
- 2x UH-72 (Stockton AAFS)
- 2x HEMMT (Stockton AAFS)
- 2x HEMMT (Mather AAFS)
- 2x HEMMT (Los Alamitos)
- Total: 5x Type 1; 2x Type 3, and 6x HEMMT



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

### **Preparedness Levels**

**National Preparedness Level 5** 

**Northern California** 

Preparedness Level 5, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 3

**Southern California** 

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

**California Fire Potential & Weather Maps** 

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

**California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings** 

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

**NWS California River Forecast Center:** 

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



### **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

### Cal EOC Incident - 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <a href="http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf">http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf</a>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

### **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

### Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

### **Ongoing Cal OES Missions**

### **CAL OES MISSIONS**

 2015-LAW-15651 08/29/15, 2052 Hours: AFRCC reports an ELT sounding in the San Francisco area. The signal is bouncing around between 3 counties: San Francisco, Alameda and San Mateo. They have activated the CAP IC and provided CAP IC contact information. Counties briefed. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources.

### **Ongoing Cal OES Missions**

- 2015-LAW-15616 08/25/15, 1532 Hours: Tulare County Sheriff Department (TCSD) is requesting Cadaver K9's for a recovery Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources.
- 2015-LAW-14555 07/31/15, 0800 hours: Trinity County Sheriff's Department requested Law Enforcement Mutual Aid. The mission is to accompany Trinity County sworn personnel and assist in effecting evacuations, patrolling closed areas, enforcing road blocks for the following fires: Fork Fire Complex (Blue, Shiell, Telephone, Peak, Rail, Barker & Bigfoot Fires), South Fire Complex (Mill, York, Castle, Patterson, & Hidden Fires), River Fire Complex (Grove, Smokey & Look Fires), Mad River Fire Complex (Lassics, Gobbler & Pickett Fires), Route Fire Complex (Buck & Johnson Fires). Mission On-going
- 2015-LAW-15570 08/22/15, 1115 Hours: Fresno County Sheriffs' Office requested assistance in the search for a missing hiker at Wishon Reservoir, which is in the Shaver Lake area of Fresno County. The missing person is a 63 year old female who was reported missing the afternoon of Thursday, August 20. The initial request included a helicopter capable of inserting small search teams into remote search areas at elevations exceeding 10,000 feet. Later requests included 50 ground search personnel, search dogs, infrared search capabilities and communications equipment. Search personnel responded from Yosemite National Park, Kern, Tulare, San Luis Obispo, Contra Costa, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Madera, San Mateo/BAMRU, Marin, Riverside and Monterey Counties. Kings Canyon National Park and the CHP assisted with helicopters. The California National Guard has supported the mission with medium lift and heavy lift helicopters. Cal OES T-Com deployed MIGU-5. The Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) facilitated the use of a Unmanned Aerial System for searches. The search has been severely hampered by smoke from the Rough Fire, which is adjacent to the search area. The smoke has restricted visibility and restricted the use of helicopters. Update 08/29/15, 1231 hours: Fresno Sheriff reported that the missing hiker was located in the Horsehead Lake area. She is alive but in need of medical attention. She was evacuated by a CHP helicopter to a medical facility. Approximately 50 searchers are still in remote search areas. Heavy smoke in the area did not allow a helicopter to respond to pick them up today. Arrangements have been made for a California National Guard helicopter to transport the searchers this morning, 08/30/15. Mission On-going





### Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.